

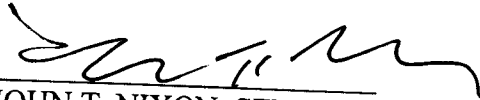
The petitioner's plea for clemency, pardon or some type of sentencing relief does not suggest confinement in violation of federal law. Therefore, the petitioner has failed to state a claim upon

which relief under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 can be granted. For that reason, the petition is DENIED and this action is hereby DISMISSED. Rule 4, Rules Governing § 2254 Cases.

Should the petitioner file a timely notice of appeal from this order, such notice shall be treated as an application for a certificate of appealability, 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c), which will not issue because the petitioner has failed to make a substantial showing of a constitutional violation.

It is so ORDERED.

Entered this the 22nd day of August, 2014.


JOHN T. NIXON, SENIOR JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT